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Art Unit : 3727 (Pascua)
Applicant: Violet Hanson
Serial No.: 09/755,702
Filed: January 5, 2001
Title: A FLAT BOTTOM BAG WITH HANDLE

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
P.O Box 1450
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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Official Action dated May 9, 2003. Please amend the application as follows:

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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 8, after line 21, please insert the following:

-It will thus be seen that the present invention provides a plastic shopping bag comprising

A1 a tubular sleeve having a longitudinal axis, an open top and unitarily formed at its bottom edge

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